1	2	3	4	5
CISF	55,732	2785	22	2,807
SSB	31,824	1330	867	2,197
HBP	27,665	1983	210	2,193
AR	42,811	1250	602	1,852
MSG	2,588*	Nil	128	128

*NSG is a deputationist Force, as such, posts are not filled by direct recruitment.

Recruitment of Constables is an ongoing process through the Recruitment Boards of the Forces. Difficulties arise in filling up posts of Constable in technical cadres due to inadequate response from persons with the requisite technical qualification.

No, Sir.

Pending cases of freedom fighters

† *297. SHRI SATYAVPAT CHATURVEDI:
SHRI MOTILAL VORA:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

whether Uttar Pradesh Government had started the process of giving Samman Nidhi to those who had participated in Chauri Chaura (Gorakhpur) Movement;

whether Samman Nidhi was given to those who had participated in Chauri Chaura, in the year 1994-95;

the number of cases of freedom fighters pending with Government as on the 31st March, 2007; and

the number of freedom fighters whose cases were settled in 2006-07?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MANIKRAO GAVIT): (a) Yes, Sir. As per information provided by the Government of Uttar Pradesh, the then Governor of Uttar Pradesh took a policy decision on 2nd December, 1993 to grant Rajya Samman Pension to the eldest dependents of certain categories of freedom fighters who had participated in the Chaiiri-Chaura incident, on condition that these persons would get pension throughout their life but their dependents would not be eligible for the pension in any case. Accordingly, the Government of Uttar Pradesh have, till date granted pension to 133 dependents of such freedon fighters.

No pension was provided in 1994-95 to those who participated in the Chauri-Chaura Movement; but their dependents were provided pension in 1994-95.

No case for grant of Samman Pension to the dependents of freedom fighters who

† Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

participated in Chauri -Chaura incident was pending with the Government of Uttar Pradesh as on 31st March, 2007.

(d) Cases of eleven dependent of freedom fighters were received and disposed of by the Government of Uttar Pradesh in the year 2006-07. None of the 11 applicants was found to be eligible for pension.

World Trade and Development Index Report

*298. SHRI B.K. HARIPRASAD: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

whether despite booming global trade relations being enjoyed by India, the recently released World Trade and Development Index Report by UNCTAD has ranked India at 85th position out of 126 countries;

what are the benchmarks used for assessing the rank of a nation in the Trade and Development Index; and

whether India's economic and social well-being indicator scores are among the lowest at 187, much lower than sub-Saharan Africa's average of 218?

THE MINISTER OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI KAMAL NATH): (a) to (c) The UNCTAD has ranked India at 86th position in its Report "Developing Countries in International Trade 2007 — Trade Development Index (TDI)". The report has pointed out that India has improved its TDI score from 413 in 2005 to 433 in 2006. The components of TDI include international finance, macro-economic stability, domestic finance, financial intermediation, institutional quality, trade performance, human capital, physical infrastructure, economic structure, environmental sustainability, openness to trade, foreign market access, and economic & social well-being. In the analysis the developing countries' performance has been benchmarked against the TDI scores of developed countries, and EU 10 countries have been benchmarked against those of developing countries. India's score on economic and social well being is 187 as against average of 218 for the Sub-Saharan Africa Region.

Illegal migrants In Assam

*299. SHRI KUMAR DEEPAK DAS: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the status paper of his Ministry on "Internal security situation" has sfrikingly bypassed illegal Bangladeshi migrants' threat to the country;

(b) whether Supreme Court on July 14,2005 ruled that the Cenfre had not done its duty to protect Assam from'external aggression';

the steps taken by Government to protect Assam from such aggression;

the steps taken by Government to deport those illegal migrants;

whether Government has fixed any time frame to give complete relief to the State; and

whether there is any proposal to update National Register of Citizen (NRC), 1951 ?